

# PUBLIC LEDGER



FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1896.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Miss Louie Bruer left Tuesday afternoon for her home at Paris.

Miss Nora Mackey of Paris is visiting with friends in the county.

Rev. Father Major of Frankfort was Tuesday the guest of the Rev. Father A. T. Eouis.

Mrs. C. F. Throckmorton of Oakwoods is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Toile of the Fifth Ward.

Mrs. Garrett S. Wall and daughter, Miss Ethelene, have returned from a visit in Cincinnati.

Miss Hattie L. Wood, who has been in Missouri for some six weeks, is expected at home this week.

Mrs. John Hettich has returned to her home at Covington after a visit to Mrs. Hiram Daugherty.

Dr. and Mrs. Cleon Owens spent the day at his father's Sunday, and attended church at Washington.

Master Franklin Thompson, son of Dr. Thompson of Frankfort, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Nellie O'Keefe.

Mrs. Frank A. Mennen and little daughter, Maj. J. West Superior, Wis., are here to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Morgan.

Very Personal.—Postage on drop letters, whether sealed or not, is 2 cents. Many persons send their notices through the Postoffice with only 1 cent stamp. These are "held for postage." Hereafter they must contain a 2 cent stamp.

William Jones died in Flemingsburg Monday night, aged about 70.

Spring Heel Black and Tan Strap Sandals. J. HENRY PECOR.

The Pavilion Hotel will open for the season at Bluelick Springs on June 5th.

The report that John Lukins had died at Mt. Carmel was erroneous. He is in a fair way to recover.

Mrs. Amanda Hart, mother of Hon. Rolla K. Hart, died at Poplar Plains Monday night, aged 70.

John Lurley, son of Mr. W. A. P. Lurley of Dover, was Tuesday adjudged a lunatic and ordered sent to the Asylum.

The telephone poles are being distributed throughout the city, and it is expected the erection of the line will begin next week.

Thomas Battis, Jr., who has been in Jail since April 14th under a judgment of the County Court in a bastardy proceeding, appeared in Court Tuesday, took the insolvent debtor's oath and was discharged from prison.

Mr. Charles White and his daughter Miss Bessie, formerly of this city, whose home has been at Flemingsburg for some time, will remove to Fayette county and make their home with Mr. White's daughter, Mrs. John Willet.

We are informed that none of Bode's Operatic Minstrels were implicated in the trouble between Mr. McCarthy and Mr. William H. Case that took place at Manchester on Monday night, which was mentioned in yesterday's issue.

The heavy rain Tuesday morning washed out a part of the C. and O. track near South Manchester, and about a mile East of that point the track was covered with mud for several hundred feet. Trains were delayed for nearly an hour.

The housebreaker was again abroad last night. Some time before midnight the meat store of William Wood was entered through the back window. The cash drawer was broken open, but only a few coppers and a battered old-fashioned 64 cent piece were taken. Whoever the thief was he got a smearing of paint off the newly-painted rear door.

## RIPE OLD AOL.

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Maddox Was In Her 84th Year.

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Maddox, of Second and Commerce streets, died at 12:30 Tuesday, aged 83 years, 4 months and 11 days.

Her death was hastened by a peculiar accident.

She was looking out of a window, and went to sit down, supposing a chair was behind her.

Instead, she dropped to the floor, the fall resulted in a fracture of the joint of her left hip, and the shock was the prime cause of her death.

She leaves two daughters—Mrs. Joseph A. Davis and Mrs. James Conrad.

The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning from the residence of Mrs. Davis.



When poets write Of "voiceless night," We feel like saying "Rats!" For out of doors We hear the roars Of several hundred cats.

## MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

### THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR: Blue—RAIN or SNOW: With Black ABOVE—TWILL WARMER: If Black's BENEATH—COLDER: If Black's shown—no change we'll see. The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

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The sale of the Hill House property will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer-meeting tonight at the Central Presbyterian Church. All cordially invited to attend.

The cutworms are reported to be traveling in myriads between Washington and the North Fork.

The assets of James E. Pepper of Lexington are stated by the appraisers at \$497,114.85 and his liabilities at \$424,971.61.

Miss Mary Butler, daughter of Mr. Andrew Butler of the Mayslick neighborhood, who had gone to Cincinnati to undergo a surgical operation, died there yesterday and will be brought here today and buried at Washington this evening. She was a most exemplary young lady, and her family have the sympathies of the community in their loss.

## PUSH IT ALONG.

The Ledger's Article on a College May Bear Fruit.

THE LEDGER Tuesday stated that Professor Fowler of the K. M. I. was desirous of securing a new location for his consolidated colleges.

Already one of Maysville's most enterprising citizens has come to the front with an offer to sell his handsome suburban place, besides taking \$1,000 of stock in the institution.

Furthermore, all the necessary additional ground can be had at a moderate price.

The above property is among the most desirable in the county, and it may be worth while for Professor Fowler to make us a visit and investigate.

## WHOLE HOG OR NONE.

A Number of Sixth Warders Line Up in Court.



William Hughes, Gus Morton, Ben Thomas, Adam Poth, John Kincaid, Robert Carrigan, James Dunbar, Reuben Hunt, M. C. Hutchison, Robert Taylor, Henry Dieterich, Jr., Edward Taylor, Harrison Clay, H. M. DeAtley and R. M. Wallingford, all residents of the Sixth Ward, were arraigned before Judge Wadsworth for keeping hogs in the city in violation of the Ordinance.

Messrs. A. E. Cole & Son appeared for accused, and upon trial of Mr. Hughes, which was agreed upon as a test case the facts being admitted, his attorneys attacked the validity of the Ordinance.

In a somewhat lengthy opinion Judge Wadsworth sustained the Ordinance and fined Mr. Hughes \$5 and costs—\$8.90 in all.

Messrs. Cole then prayed an appeal to the Mason Circuit Court, which was granted.

Meantime, the remaining cases were docketed and action suspended until the result of the appeal is ascertained; but it is more than probable that the fine in each case will be the same.

Rev. E. L. Shepard will enter on his duties as Chaplain of the Penitentiary May 1st.

It is probable that the Norton Nail Works will soon introduce machines for making wire nails.

A Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will probably be organized here in the near future.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers at 25 and 50 cents. See our Percalé Shirts at 50 cents, the best in the market. BROWNING & CO.

Mrs. Jacob Roser is at the bedside of her sister at Covington, who is very low with an incurable disease and whom she had not seen for a quarter of a century.

Dr. W. R. Hedlin was Tuesday the subject of hearty congratulations. He had just received a commission from Governor W. O. Bradley appointing him Second Assistant Physician at the Central Lunatic Asylum, Lakeland. The position pays \$1,000 a year. The friends of Dr. Hedlin feel sure that he will fill the position with credit.

Take stock, stop rent and purchase a home through the People's Building Association.

"After years of dyspeptic misery, I can at last eat a good square meal without its distressing me," gratefully exclaimed one whose appetite had been restored by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This remedy wonderfully sharpens the appetite and improves digestion.

Books are now open for subscription to stock in the Sixth Series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2d, 1896. Call on Robert L. Baldwin, Secretary, John Duley, Treasurer, or any of the Directors.

## An Affidavit.

This is to certify that on May 11th I walked to Melick's drugstore on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.

CHARLES H. WETZEL, Sunbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10th, 1894.

WALTER SHIPMAN, J. P. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by J. Jas. Wood, Druggist.

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We Will Do You Good

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE CO.

are offering inducements to Farmers for all kinds of Farming Tools—Hoes, Forks, Rakes, Hooks, Grain Cradles, Scythes, Snaths and Sundries.

you need a Pump for your cistern? If so, we will sell you any kind you want at a very low price.

you know we are headquarters for Table Cutlery and first-class Plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, quality guaranteed?

can buy Horse Brushes, Whitewash Brushes, Blacking Brushes and Curry Combs, &c., cheap.

quality of Builders' Hardware, Carpenter Tools, Blacksmith Supplies and everything that composes a first-class Hardware Store.

Mail and Express orders will have our prompt attention.

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE CO.

Lewis Taylor, colored, was fined \$5 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Mr. James Marshall of Washington took a trip to Bluelick Springs last week.

Ray's Rainbow Ready-mixed Paint is guaranteed to give satisfaction. At Post-office Drugstore.

The Lexington Observer nominates Mrs. Josephine K. Henry for Governor of Kentucky in 1899.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Hall of the Sixth Ward rejoice in the arrival at their home of a nine-pound son and heir.

If anything were needed to prove that Ashland is superior to Maysville, it may be found in the fact that she is moving for Sunday baseball games!

Thieves got into the coal office of William Davis Monday night. They went through the window and the cash drawer, but got nothing but a few postage stamps.

The gross earnings of the L. and N. for the third week in April were \$346,995, an increase of \$29,290 over 1895, of \$29,765 over 1894, but a loss of \$45,535 as compared with 1893.

The A. P. A. claims to have a total membership of 3,500,000, an increase in two years of 1,500,000. It is reported to have 108 members in Congress and Governors in several states.

At an open session of the Euclidean Literary Society of Winchester College, Mr. J. W. Power of this city read an essay, "Our Aim in Life." The Democrat says: "If Mr. Power's real aim continues to be his ideal aim as set forth in his essay he will be a blessing and an honor to his country."

Tuesday morning early a party, of cyclists, consisting of four young men and three ladies, started with lunch boxes and gay spirits for a jollification. The bright hopes are sometimes blasted. A little later the straggling party returned with wheels clogged, and spirits as well as clothes somewhat dampened. "We'll never do that any more!"

The triplets of Mrs. Amanda Brittingham have been removed from St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, where the mother is being cared for, to the Children's Home. They are boys, and all healthy looking, being so nearly alike that a different colored ribbon was tied on each to distinguish it from the others. The mother has been quite sick with pneumonia, but is much improved.

A young man who thinks he can lead a reckless and profligate existence until he reaches the middle term of life, and then repent and make a good steady citizen, is deluded. He thinks that people are fools, destitute of memory. He concludes that if he repents everybody will forget that he was a dissipated fellow. This is not the case; people are apt to remember the bad deeds and forget the good ones. Besides, it is no easy thing to break off in middle life bad habits that have been formed in youth.

Rev. W. O. Cochran of this city was appointed by the Presbytery at Catlettsburg as Commissioner from Ebenezer Presbytery to the General Assembly at Memphis, with Rev. Mr. Henry of Crittenden as Alternate.

The report comes from Frankfort that Ed. Farrell, a well known Maysville convict serving a life sentence for murder, is thought to be in a dying condition. A strong effort is being made to secure a pardon for him. Poor Tom Calvert, Farrell's victim, died without warning and without a chance for pardon.

A gentleman who has evidently tried the newspaper business gets off the following: "The devil once bargained for the soul of a young man. The devil agreed to furnish all the money the young man could spend, and if he did not spend it as fast as it came in, his soul was the forfeit. For several years the young man managed to keep ahead of the game by means of wine and fine horses, but finally the fiend sent him a tremendous sum, which seemed impossible to get rid of. As a last resort the young man decided to start a newspaper. At the end of the three months the devil began to growl; at the end of nine months he was serious, and after one year he was broke. That paper went up but the soul was saved."

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Those Who Have Missives in the Maysville Postoffice.

Below is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Maysville Postoffice for the week ending April 28th, 1896:

Brayton, Miss L. V. Maley, Pat  
Boston, Julia Patterson, Mrs. Della M.  
Campbell, S. Fay Rust, E. R.  
Dickson, Hart Stuart, Archibald  
Haines, M. G. Wilson, T. P.  
Lawrence, Mrs. Annie

One cent due on each of above. Persons calling for these letters will please say that they are advertised.

THOS. J. CHENOWETH, Postmaster.

## REV. DR. ROBERT HINER.

Prominent Preacher Critically Ill at His Carrollton Home.

A report was current in this city a few days ago that the Rev. Robert Hiner was dead.

This was not the case, however, though his condition is extremely critical.

The Carrollton Democrat says the trouble is with his heart, the action of which is very feeble. As a rule its pulsations are about thirty-five per minute, and even with the aid of the most powerful remedies they cannot be made more frequent than forty. Of course, therefore, there is much ground for serious fears. His condition is attracting wide attention, for he is, perhaps, as well known as any Preacher in the state.

If you are looking



for Optical goods it will be best for you to do your searching at headquarters.

Our stock is very complete in Opera Glasses, Field Glasses, Telescopes, &c., and you will find our prices lower than elsewhere.

We also give special attention to fitting eyes with proper glasses, and charge nothing for examination, and very rarely fail to supply exactly what the sight requires to a nicety in any particular case.

J. BALLENGER, Maysville, Ky.

Try Dr. J. W. Cartmell, Dentist, Second street opposite State National Bank.

She was a smart and pretty girl. She wrote the advertising for a dry goods concern. Her mind used to run so much upon her business that one day, when she wrote to her lover to meet her at home, she unconsciously added as postscript: "Come early and avoid the rush."

He opened the door cautiously, and poking his head in, in a suggestive sort of way, as if there were more to follow, inquired: "Is this the editorial rinkum?" "The what, my friend?" "Is this rinkum, sinktum, sanctum, or some rich place, where the editors live?" "This is the editorial room. Yes, sir. Come in." "No I guess I won't come in. I wanted to see what a rinkum was like, that's all. Looks like our garret, only less. Good day."

## SMALL POTATOES.

True Picture of the Average Congressman at Washington.

Washington Star.

She was a nice, sweet-faced elderly woman, who looked as though she might have been one of the workers all her life. She was attired plainly but neatly in a season-behind-the-times gown, with plain bands of slightly gray hair put smoothly back under her altogether-too-large-for-the-fashion bonnet. Beside her sat a fine-looking, showy girl, attired sumptuously in the latest fad of fashion, but wearing her clothes with bad grace. Both were listening to a plain, small-faced man on the floor, who was reading in a shrill falsetto from manuscript held

BLACK AND TAN.....

Strap Sandals

SPRING HEELS.....

WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S.

J. HENRY PECOR.

in one hand, and awkwardly trying to make gestures with the other hand. No body was listening. Finally the older woman turned to the younger, and said almost pathetically:

"They don't seem to pay much attention to ps, do they?"

And the girl said, with a toss of her giddy young head: "No, indeed; he is small potatoes down here. But we get the name and the salary, just the same, and it sounds big at home."

But the little wife only looked pained and said, "Daughter" in a remonstrating kind of a way, and leaned over the gallery, absolutely the only person in all that vast house who seemed to hear a word the man was saying.

Do you need a Shirt Waist? If so, call and see what we have in new style Percalés at 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1.

BROWNING & CO.

A medical association represented by Harrison, Scott, Bourbon, Owen, Franklin, Henry, Anderson, Woodford and Shelby counties has been organized and will be called the Midland Kentucky Medical Association.

## VALUABLE TIMBER.

Hon. John D. White's Remarkable Log and Its Journey.

Occasionally rare evidence of the value of Kentucky's great forests comes to view, as it has in the arrival at High Bridge Friday, of a popular log, the property of the Hon. John D. White, says the Louisville Post. The log was cut in the mountains of Clay county three years ago, and little at a time was conveyed by ox teams, derricks and other rustic modes of travel, a distance of four miles to the dry bottom of Goose creek, where it lay for several months, awaiting a freshet that would carry it down that stream, thence through the North Fork into the Kentucky river proper, and then to a market, where it can be disposed of. The log is perfectly solid, is 15 feet long and 90 inches (7 feet 6 inches) across its smallest end, and is too large to measure by an ordinary log rule. It is now stranded at High Bridge awaiting the next high water, when it will be floated into a market, but meantime Mr. John Garrard, who lives near and is now its custodian, will use it as a kind of summer resort for visitors to his region during the coming hot months. The expense on this rare stick of timber up to this time has been \$85.75.

The Detroit and Cleveland Steam Navigation Company's steamers are now running daily (except Sunday) between Detroit and Cleveland. When traveling East or West, North or South, try to arrange to take advantage of these luxurious steamers between Michigan and Ohio. If you are contemplating a summer outing, write A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich., for illustrated pamphlet, which gives full information of a trip to Mackinac via the Coast Line.

## Fifty Horses Wanted.

Mr. Joe Kindig of York, Pa., will be at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s Stable, Maysville, Ky., on Tuesday, May 5th, 1896, and will pay the highest market prices for good sound Horses or Mares from 4 to 6 years old, well broken and in good flesh. Bring in good ones and get the money for them. Don't forget the date.

## Are you in need of Printing?

I am ready to furnish Printing of a high grade at a very low figure.

Correspondence Solicited.

ALLEN A. EDMONDS, MAYSVILLE, KY.

## Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get the best quality \$4 Ladies' Hand-turned Button Shoe, newest style, for \$3, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

## Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get a \$3.50 Flexible Sole, Needle Toe, Button Shoe for \$2.50, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

## Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get a \$2.50, Flexible Sole, Pointed Toe Button Shoe for \$2, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

Just to keep the ball rolling, we offer Men's \$5 Patent Leather Bals for \$3.50. We shall continue the Shoe Business in Maysville, and will give due notice of our Spring Opening. F. B. RANSON & CO.